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Bourne & Co., James T., steamboat agents, 12 Jefferson street.

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Cameron & Co., J. A., Finley Churn Dasher, 321 Main street.

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Criminal Court Room, Wm. Hunter, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 3 5 second street, third floor.

Common Law Court, G. D. Pierce, Judge; in Greenlaw Opera House, 358 second street, second floor.

Circuit Court, George Reeves, Judge; corner Union and second streets.

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Deposit Insurance and Trust Company, 42 Madison street.

Duff, W. L., attorney at law, 366 Main street.

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Evans, D. H., wholesale liquors, 331 Front street.

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Flaherty & Walsh, undertakers, 317 Second street.

Finlay & Keller, attorneys at law, 42 Madison street.

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Haynes, Stockton & Hart, attorneys at law, 42 Madison street.

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Merchants' National Bank, 8 Jefferson street.

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Stursivant & Co. C. W., grocery and commission merchants, 182 Front street.

Southwestern Freight and Cotton Press Company, 342 Madison street.

Stoddard & Co, A. M., auctioneers, 320 Second street,

Scruggs, P. T. and E. R., attorneys at law, 34 Union street

St. Louis Mutual Life Insurance Company, McMahon & Otis, agents; office, 42 Madison street.

Smith & Leech, wholesale liquor dealers, 342 Second street.

Semmes & Co., B. J., importers and dealers in liquors, 224 second street.

Swanwick & Co. W. T., lumber dealers, foot of Adams street.

Smith, Owen, undertaker, 368 northeast corner Gayoso and Second streets.

Telegraph Office, 27 South Court street.

Terry & Mitchell, wholesale boots and shoes, 229 Main street.

Titus & Co., cotton factors and commission merchants, 10 Jefferson street.

United States Insurance Company, 229 Main street.

United States Court, C. F. Trigg, Judge; No. 450 Main street, third floor.

Vinson & Donohue, steamboat agents, 294 Front street, up stairs.

Varieties Theater, corner Washington and Main streets.

Ward & Co. R. D., seed dealers, 321 Main street.

Wolf & Co, S., steamboat agents, 270 Front street.

Wright & McKissick, attorneys at law, Kil Williams block, corner Madison and Second streets.

Yerger & Sale, attorneys at law, Library Building, Third street, near Jefferson.

Zwelfel, Dom, lager beer depot, 34½ Adams street.

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

The White Man's Platform.

I hold that this Government was made on the white basis, by white men, for the benefit of white men and their posterity forever, and should be administered by white men, and none others. I do not believe that the Almighty made the negro capable of self government.—*Stephen A. Douglas.*

Hear President LINCOLN in reply:

I AM NOT, NOR EVER HAVE BEEN, IN FAVOR OF MAKING VOTERS OR JURORS OF NEGROES nor of qualifying them to hold office, nor intermarrying them with white people; and I will say in addition to this, that there is a PHYSICAL DIFFERENCE between the white and black races, which, I believe, will forever forbid the two races living together on terms of social and political equality; and, inasmuch as they cannot so live, while they do remain together, there must be a position of superior and inferior, and I, as much as any other man, am in favor of having the SUPERIOR POSITION ASSIGNED TO THE WHITE RACE.

Two years before the death of DANIEL WEBSTER he said:

"IF THESE IMPERTINENT *Fanatics and Abolitionists ever get the power, (and their own words show they will override the Constitution, set the Supreme Court at defiance* change and make Laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in opinion or dare question their fidelity) and finally, bankrupt the country and deluge it with blood."

On September 2, 1843, twenty-five years ago, HENRY CLAY said:

The agitation of the question in the free States will first destroy all harmony, and finally lead to disunion—perpetuate war—the extinction of the African race—ultimate military despotism.

But the great aim and object of your tract should be to arouse the laboring classes of the free States against Abolition. Depict the consequences to them of immediate emancipation. The slaves being free, would be dispersed throughout the Union; they would enter into competition with the free labor; with the American, the Irish, the German; reduce his wages, be confounded with him, and affect his moral and social standing. And as the ultras go both for Abolition and amalgamation, show that their object is to unite in marriage the lab ring white man and the laboring black woman, to reduce the white laboring man to the degraded and degraded condition of the black man.

I would move their opposition to Orientation. Show its humane, religious and patriotic aim. That they are to separate those whom God has separated. Why do the Abolitionists oppose Orientation? To kings and amalgamate together the two races, in violation of God's will, and to keep the blacks here that they may interfere with, degrade and debase the laboring whites. Show that the British Government is co-operating with the Abolitionists, for the purpose of dissolving the Union, etc. You can make a powerful article, that will be felt in every extremity of the Union. I am perfectly satisfied it will do great good. Let me hear from you on this subject.

Forney thinks that Stanton struck a "sublime attitude" when he ate sandwiches in the War Department.

D. C. Otis, an express employe, stationed at Hempstead, Texas, absconded a few days ago with some twenty-five thousand dollars in gold.

The ladies of Nashville have selected the 10th of May as the day to decorate the graves of the Confederate dead. They are obliged to defer it later than the 26th of April owing to the scarcity of flowers. The hours at the Nashville Cemetery and Mount Olivet, will be from three to six o'clock p.m.

The Canton (Mississippi) *Mail* says that a noted horse thief was discovered in a swamp, where he kept his mules and horses, and, refusing to surrender, was shot down by the three citizens who found him. At last accounts there was no danger of him stealing any more horses.

Last Saturday afternoon the decoration of Confederate graves took place at Cave Hill cemetery, Louisville, with appropriate ceremonies. Several thousand were present. The *Journal* says: "One of the most touching incidents of 'memorial day' at Cave Hill cemetery was the deposit upon each soldier's grave of a sealed envelope, a wreath of flowers within, and affectionate mottoes, traced by lady hands, without—tokens sent from the South."

Destitution in the Country Back of Memphis.

GERMANTOWN, April 27, 1868.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: Having with profound regret observed the effort of some evil genli (or genius) through the columns of your paper to prejudice by misrepresentation the public mind abroad against a scheme, engaged in which are the best men in our country, I propose through the same medium to correct the false impressions that these various little squibs might produce.

In the bogus report by H. of the meeting of citizens, held at this place on the 18th instant, he says, "discussion and inquiry became pretty general, when it was discovered that *twelve* families needed help." This careful arrangement of words is well calculated to increase an erroneous impression, and evidently intended to convey the idea that there were *but twelve* families who needed help. From Colliersville alone a letter signed by John Koen, H. Erly and E. J. Kindred, reported *twelve* destitute families, and as for the number in our town I cannot tell without counting the number in it. Indeed, I know of but few families who are not more or less destitute. I know of nothing that exceeds our poverty, but our pride—and dignity of Germantown. Indeed, I know of but two or three men (there may be others) who can see land ahead; but the crafts of these are not sufficiently staunch to reach port if the storm is of any longer duration. Two of these were men of limited means before the war, but that revolution of the wheel of Time, which carried so many good men from affluence and ease down to poverty and distress, lifted these little fellows out of the dirt, and to-day they are in position to speculate upon the pressing needs of our suffering countrymen.

I am sorry that it has fallen to the lot of Germantown to be located in a region in which destitution exists; but such is life—it is her misfortune. But the matter is still made worse in the belief of the destitute in the country around her that it is their misfortune to be so near a town holding within her limits two or three stupid men, determined to rule or ruin every move of which they themselves are not the head and front—men noted neither for benevolence of character nor for courteous treatment of their fellow-men.

But neither Germantown nor Collierville are hardly to be considered in this imovement. Gentlemen occupying the highest social position in either place are connected with it, but they regard the poor of their respective towns of secondary consideration, one primary consideration of the project being to relieve and assist those who are now actually engaged in the tillage of the ground—those who, through the favor of Him who gives the sunshine and the shower, and their own industry, will convert the grain of corn now being deposited in the earth as seed into the full ear at the time of gathering in. This enterprise looks to the redemption of this region of country and the salvation from actual starvation of its citizens in the future, by now placing within the reach of those engaged in the culture of the fields the means of living and of feeding their horses and mules while they till the present crop.

The repeated rejection of men from the country, (leaving at home families suffering for the necessaries of life, and stock that cannot till the ground for want of food), who go to Memphis and ask of the merchant an indulgence for the past, and an accommodation for the future, led us to suppose that no help could be obtained from that quarter. A very insignificant thing, who I understand was, before the war, connected with a house in Memphis as a drummer, and now having some interest in a very respectable establishment there, and who, I understand, regards himself as one of the leaders in the opposition to this enterprise, has repeatedly refused to accommodate good men, only on such terms as may possibly involve them in hopeless ruin, or has placed the condition of his accommodation on such security as could not possibly be reached by the applicant. Though he is hardly a fair specimen of a Memphis merchant, I mention him as one of whose acts, to some extent, I am cognizant.

There is not in all this country, back of Memphis, one single bushel of surplus corn, nor a single pound of meat for sale, unless in some country store, for cash. The planters can not help the planters. If they can, now is the time to help. I do not believe there is twenty days' rations in all this country were they equally distributed.

The merchants of Memphis have done, and nobly done all they can, I think, without detriment to themselves; but if not, now is the time for them to act. Some of the people back here have no meat and some no corn; nor have they the money to purchase provisions to save them from perishing hunger. *Credit, or contributions*—which will you give? Speak—relieve the mother's anguish—dry the children's tears who cry for bread. Enable the father, by your assistance now, to make a subsistence for the wife and little ones in the year to come. Say to the laboring poor, sacrifice no more—desist—mortgage not your homestead; sell not the last cow to get your children bread. Let your proclamation be—*I will help you*—and you will receive the sincere gratitude of many an honest heart, and find work for all your surplus capital.

But as we have said, still we say the merchants of Memphis have done nobly. When from the wars the planter returned to the chared remains of his once handsome home, began to fence the waste places, and by acts evinced a determination to bring from the earth his bread by the sweat of his brow, the merchant of Memphis met him, gave him a cordial welcome back again and extended to him the hand of help; placed within his reach the means to purchase the implements of husbandry, the means to purchase mules and horses, and provisions on which to live till time and labor could mature the crops. The crops failed in part, the products declined in price, and at the end of the first year of his renewed farming operations the planter finds himself in worse condition than at its commencement—in debt to the merchant, without the means to advance a single step in the direction of relief. But confidence is not destroyed. The merchant being cognizant of all the facts, is acquainted well with the train of circumstances that bind him hand and foot, and again nobly responds to his call for help, and again places himself between the planter and his wants. A like train of circumstances have produced a like result, and now again, at this, the beginning of a planting season, many are adrift without provisions, without funds, without credit—those honest, good men, the very axle-trees of the land, who are making strenuous efforts to help themselves, but who, for want of present stores, are unable to till the present crop. Is this not so? Ask your merchants. Judge Blakley, a gentleman well and favorably known in this county, a man who utters thoughts only after mature deliberation, and in position to know the condition of the people in this region, says, in a letter directed to Dr. Stout: "*In fact, I am decidedly of the belief that material aid at the present time is the only thing that can enable the country to get in condition that they will be able to help themselves in the future.*" Nor is Judge Blakley alone in this opinion. Others who have taken pains to investigate, have found this thing so, and have gone to work to bring about a different state of things—good men too—not impostors, as intimated by the anonymous X. It may be well to note the names of the men engaged in this movement, and correct an impression productive of much evil before it goes too far. As a public and impartial journalist, arrest this base slander; till, at least, it be discovered that these petitioners for bread are impostors.

Again, in referring to the communication of H., I would say that he, prompted by his father, the Evil One, let slip his pen and unconvertet the word destitute to "disabled," (which occurs but once in the article), with the vile intent to misrepresent.

To illustrate a point, I will say that by the explosion of the boiler of a Mississippi river steamer, a man possessing wealth is at midnight blown from his stateroom with only the ordinary clothing of a gentleman at that hour; after his aerial trip and a return to consciousness, picks himself up on the bank of the river, and, approaching a house near the scene of his disaster, expects to receive in his sad plight a kind reception, is astonished by being spurned as a pauper. The citizen has not taken into consideration the circumstances which has reduced him thus. This is the identical same citizen—the same miserable being—the same heartless misanthrope—the infidel who now for a double purpose throws the opprobrious epithet *pauper* into the teeth of the suffering sons of toil and of want in this the hour of their dire calamity to sting them to desperation and deeds of violence, or to drive them to a covering up of their needs, to suffer on in secret and to die. Further, he is the originator of the "pauper excitement," and, as he intimates himself, bears a name and a game which most men would blush to own. And it is to this man and his little article ("Paupertown vs. Germantown"), gotten up (as he thinks) in such approved style, filled with sparkling wit and biting sarcasm (as he believes), but which overflows with venom and senseless maliciousness, that the people of Germantown and their posterity are indebted for the euphonous appellation of "Paupertown"! in all time to come, and not to citizens (as he would like to make it appear) of hers, in connection with those in the region round about, who, having hearts, and in their right places, have tried to relieve, not *paupers*, but the destitute. It is due the people of Germantown that they should know the proper name of the individual to whom they owe such a debt of gratitude.

The names of gentlemen of the highest respectability and standing have been published as having connection with this enterprise—an enterprise designed to help the destitute, and they have been referred to by these anonymous squibbers as paupers and impostors. An all-sufficient vindication at present, against these slanders, and all that is deemed necessary, will be a publication of the proper names of these little things, now dodged under fictitious signatures. The best endorsement in the minds of some men of an enterprise, or of a man, is the opposition of those little fellows to it or to him. An event in history, of the suspected manager of the miniature guns of this masked battery, is demonstrative evidence of the truth of this declaration. Some time ago a certain man opposed a certain judgeship, and attempted to abolish it, but established it, and abolished himself. *Vice versa*, said man favored the existence of a certain court, but his approval killed it dead.

More anon, if necessary.

J. DIX MILLS.

Meeting at Germantown.

GERMANTOWN, TENN., April 25, 1868.

At a meeting of about fifty citizens of Germantown and vicinity, W. H. Walker, Esq., was called to the chair, and H. C. Massey appointed secretary. The object of the meeting was explained by H. Funstenheim, Esq., when the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, This community is represented as being very destitute, which we are unable to relieve; and

WHEREAS, After careful inquiry we can find but few people unable to work, which we have always sustained; and

WHEREAS, Contributions of neighboring States are at present not needed or wanted; therefore be it

Resolved, That we will endeavor to sustain our own poor, inquire into the wants of those represented as destitute, and by all means oppose and disapprove of any steps to be taken for the purpose of begging abroad, publish parties misrepresenting our community as destitute, and brand them as imposters.

Resolved, That W. A. Galloway, Benj. L. Stuart, L. A. Rhodus, D. H. Dunlap and F. Molitor be, and are hereby, appointed a committee to inquire into the destitution of this community, and if in their judgment it is deemed necessary, to solicit aid of this community for its relief.

Resolved, That the chairman be added to the above committee.

Resolved, That the above committee be authorized to call a meeting of the citizens of Germantown and vicinity, at any time they may think proper.

Resolved, That the Memphis and Louisville papers be requested to publish the above proceedings.

On motion, the meeting adjourned subject to a call from the committee.

W. H. WALKER, Chairman.

H. C. MASSEY, Secretary.

[City and Louisville papers copy.]

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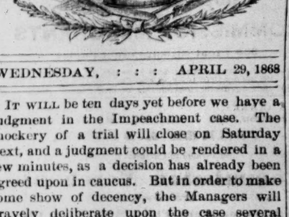

WEDNESDAY, : : : APRIL 29, 1868

IT WILL be ten days yet before we have a judgment in the Impeachment case. The mockery of a trial will close on Saturday next, and a judgment could be rendered in a few minutes, as a decision has already been agreed upon in caucus. But in order to make some show of decency, the Managers will gravely deliberate upon the case several days. Bribery and corruption, bargaining and selling may produce a wonderful change, but from present indications, we are of the opinion that the President will be convicted. So strong is this belief at Washington that the correspondents of the various newspapers have commenced speculating as to who will probably constitute the new Cabinet. It is understood that Mr. WADE has prudently kept his own counsels—only giving it out that a proper regard to a decent sense of propriety will forbid any of the impeachment Managers from applying for a position under the new Administration, and they in turn say that Senators voting to displace Mr. JOHNSON will hardly feel justified in taking position under Mr. WADE, lest it have the appearance of bargain and sale. Thus we have a prospect of not a very happy family, in the event of President JOHNSON'S removal from office. The scramble for the loaves and fishes will be such as has not been witnessed since the hard-cider days of President HARRISON. It is generally acknowledged that Senator CHANDLER, of Michigan, will be the power behind the throne, and that he will, in a great measure, direct and control the Government patronage. The latest statement of the new Cabinet, as rumored on the streets of Washington, stands thus: CHARLES SUMNER, Secretary of State. FRANCIS E. SPINNER, Secretary of the Treasury. E. M. STANTON, Secretary of War. ROBERT C. SCHENCK, Secretary of the Navy. JAMES HARLAN, Secretary of the Interior. SCHUYLER COLFAX, Postmaster General. GEORGE W. PASCHALL, Attorney General. The Washington correspondents also announce that the President is greatly exorcised at the certainty of his removal, and promises to commence a bitter and unrelenting war upon the Radicals at once. ANDREW JOHNSON has pluck, and if he should be deposed no one can suppose for a moment that he will retire from public life and remain a quiet spectator of the scenes which are to follow on the political boards. Rumors are already afloat that a canvass for him has been shaped out, that will present him in one of his old characters, but upon a much enlarged theater. He will take the stump against the destructionists and canvass every Southern State, occupying his whole time in the labor of arousing and organizing an opposition to Radicalism and negro equality. The fear of this has been the subject of much consideration among the destructionists in Congress, and many of them have expressed the opinion that the Radicals would probably not realize much profit by sending him forth from the White House on such a mission.

THE qualified voters of thiscity will have, an opportunity of settling, on Thursday next, the question of funding the city's due indebtedness. The interrogatories propounded by a correspondent in the *Appeal* have been answered by a report of the Finance Committee, and which report was published in the *Appeal*. If this correspondent insists upon a cross-examination, he must communicate with the committeemen. We take their report to be correct, because it was made by accurate men, and approved or accepted by the Board. From an examination of this report, published on the 15th instant, it will be seen that the

City bonds are	$1,719 000
Due bonds (bonds due)	37,000
Coupons past due	220,000
Scrip	640,000
Ledger balances	150 000
Bills payable	220,000
Total	$2,949,000

It is now proposed to bond a million dollars more of the debts, so that all the indebtedness of the city will be out of the way, and not hawked about in the streets. The debts of the city must be paid, and the prosperity of every tax payer is the only resource or means of paying it. It is folly to be arguing this or that question. The only one to be discussed is, will you pay the debts? The city must refuse to discharge its liabilities for the want of money; but will creditors be satisfied with this refusal? Will you do nothing more? What can you do? Nothing is left but to say to the creditors of the city: We cannot pay you to-day, or next year. We will give you bonds, thirty years to run, and pay you interest till then. The matter of interest is not a fatal objection to this scheme—for it is only necessary for the creditors to demand payment, which being refused by the city, interest will run from the day of demand. Thus a quarter of a million in city scrip has been formally presented and payment refused, and interest is now accumulating. It matters little whether six per cent. is paid in city scrip or bonds. But it does make a vast difference whether the scrip or bonds be held by creditors. Upon scrip suits can be at once commenced, and payment enforced by judgment and execution at law. Interest and enormous costs will be taxed to the city, perhaps equal to ten per cent. of the debt. Upon bonds thirty years to run no suits can be brought, and the interest of six per cent. the law allows, and cannot be refused on any due indebtedness. As to whether this or that man who holds the scrip or ledger balances will make from one to fifty per cent. by funding it, is not an argument against the bonds but against the man. No matter who holds the scrip, the city must pay it, for the city has passed it to third parties and is liable. Not only is the city government and its property but the real and personal property of every tax-payer is liable. The Board of Aldermen have the power to assess a tax sufficient to pay the whole due debt, and to levy but one tax if need be. But our people are too poor to pay at once, and therefore the Board propose to pay in thirty years, by issuing bonds bearing interest. If we were a qualified voter, we certainly would vote for the bonds; but we have our share of taxes to pay, and we are deeply interested in lessening our oppressive taxes. The day will come when taxation and representation will go hand in hand. We hope the bonds will be issued, and scrip taken from the streets. Under an administration of the city government, conducted with rigid economy, we will not be troubled, we hope, for years with scrip and ledger balances.

The Nashville *Union and Dispatch* says: Many of the employes of the Nashville and Northwestern Railroad, who have been unable to draw their pay, are not only in actual want, but upon the brink of starvation. It is alleged that the road owes them some $50.000, not one dime of which they can get. Saye by the slow proceedings in court, there seems to be no way to bring about a change. Innes is sublimely indifferent to the orders of the State Board of Finance, and don't report anything yet, either in regard to the expenses of the road, or the reason he suspended communication with Hickman.

Boyd & Co., Solicitors of Patents, No. 208 Pine street, St. Louis, Missouri, officially report to the AVALANCHE the following complete list of patents granted Southern inventors, for the week ending April 21, 1868: Kentucky—H. Ganney, Louisville, watch key; G. H. Owens, Maysville, hoe. Tennessee—V. A. Hacker, Knoxville, scrubber; H. C. Locke, Sommersville, corn planter; G. W. Serrin, Memphis, baling press. Virginia—E. James, Alexandria, car coupling; I. & J. S. Van Pelt, Petersburg, carriage coupling.

A Yankee having told an Englishman that he shot, one particular occasion, 999 snipe, his interlocutor asked him why he did not make it a thousand at once. "No," said he; "it's not likely I'm going to tell a lie for one snipe." Whereupon the Englishman, determined not to be outdone, began to tell a story of a man having swam from Liverpool to Boston. "Did you see him yourself?" "Why, yes, of couse I did; I was coming across, and our vessel passed him a mile out of Boston harbor." "Well, I'm glad ye saw him, stranger, cos yer a witness that I did it. That was me!"

There is a man living in Texas, near Houston, who at the battle of Richmond, Kentucky, in 1862, lost his right arm. He is now engaged in working on a farm, and with his left arm cuts and splits one hundred and fifty rails a day, and two hundred when his timber is cut for him. He had a plow made for himself with only one handle to it, and plows as good a furrow as anybody, and at all work makes a good hand.

The Marion (Alabama) *Commonwealth*, always accurate in its statements, asserts that "there have been, within twenty-five miles of Marion, during the last twelve months, at least twelve murders perpetrated, as we believe, (and as General Meade would believe if he was more of an officer and less of a partizan) by the agents, emissaries and members of the Loyal League."

TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

Facts and Fancies from Washington

The Impeachment Trial—The Friends of the President More Hopeful.

Accident on the Allegheny Valley Rail-Road—Several Persons Wounded.

Latest Foreign News per Atlantic Cable.

Latest from Abyssinia—Death of Theodore—His Forces Annihilated.

BROWNSVILLE.

Special to the Avalanche.]

BROWNSVILLE, TENN., April 28, 1868.

The following decisions have been rendered in the Supreme Court in session here:

B F Harrison vs W B Marshall's executors et al. Decree of Chancery Court at Huntingdon affirmed as to Marshall's executors; reversed as to the other defendants. Smith, Judge.

Wallace & Ringal vs W W Galloway & Son, and Chappell, Bruce & Co. vs W W Galloway & Son. Decree of Chancery Court at Dresden affirmed. Smith, Judge.

Rust vs G W Humble, administrator, et al. Judgment of the Circuit Court of Carroll county reversed and remanded. Milligan, Judge.

Keaton et al vs W H Groves. Judgment of Circuit Court of Carroll county affirmed. Milligan, Judge.

Phillips, ad ministrator, vs Hoffman et al. Appeal from County Court of Carroll dismissed. Milligan, Judge.

A F Greene, executors, vs James H Porterfield et al. Decree of Chancery Court at Huntingdon reversed, and decree subjecting land of defendants to complainant's debt. Smith, Judge.

Gilbert vs Hudson et al. Decree of Chancery Court at Dresden reversed, and cause remanded. Milligan, Judge.

Suggs vs. York. Judgment of Circuit Court of Dyer county, refusing to correct the mistake of the jury in calculating interest, affirmed. Smith, Judge.

Tarbeville vs Broach. Application for a rehearing refused.

NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, April 28.

In Special Order No. 90, General Buchanan has appointed a Board of three officers to count the votes on the late election, and report the result to the Commanding General of the District. The Board will make seperate reports of the votes on the Constitution, and for members of Congress.

At a meeting of the medical profession last night it was resolved to invite the American Medical Association to hold their next annual meeting in this city.

OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, April 28.

The Canadian Parliament has passed resolutions sympathising with Prince Alfred.

WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, April 28.

The *Herald's* Washington dispatch says that Schofield's nomination was made with his consent and approval.

The *World's* Washington dispatch says there are rumors of a break in the Republican line of Senators, and four are named as certain to vote against impeachment. The friends of the President are more confident of his acquittal.

The President has sent to Congress the letter of Bancroft, wherein he reiterates the correctness of his statement that persons who have lived in America three years, and have been naturalized, cannot be held to military duty in North Germany.

The President sent a message to the House, stating that the Military Department of Alaska and the District of the Atlantic were formed in accordance with long established usage and authority.

Williams concludes his argument to-morrow. Evarts occupies Wednesday, Stanbery Thursday and Friday, and Bingham closes the case on Saturday.

One hundred more gold and silver medals and diplomas, awarded to Americans at Paris, were received to-day.

It is officially stated that over $3,000,000 has been received as tax on distilled spirits within the past three months.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 28.

Rev. Thomas Baker, of Tennessee, spoke at a meeting of the American Industrial League to-day. Resolutions were adopted favoring a liberal encouragement of manufactures, a revision of the tariff, and an increased tax on luxuries.

ATTICA, N. Y.

ATTICA, April 28.

A horrible tragedy was enacted Saturday at Pond Hill, four miles east of Camden, in this county. About three o'clock, a little girl, eight years old, daughter of Mr. Levi Saunders, was brutally outraged a short distance from her father's house. Her throat was then cut, and her head smashed in with a stone or some other implement.

Wm. Henry Casewell has been arrested for committing the horrible deed. He is said to be a simple fellow, and there is little doubt but he is an irresponsible character.

LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, April 28.

The weather is rainy. The river is still falling slowly, with eight feet in the canal.

Arrived—Indiana, from New Orleans. Departed—John Kilgour, for New Orleans, with a fair trip.

PITTSBURG.

PITTSBURG, April 28.

In an accident on the Allegheny Valley railroad to-day, a train containing twenty-five passengers was thrown over a high embankment. None were killed, but several were wounded.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, April 28.

Official returns from fifty-four counties give a total vote of 12,386 for Bullock, against 7,284 for Gordon; Bullock being thus 5,602 ahead.

FOREIGN.

LONDON, April 28.

Times telegrams state that King Theodorus made an attack on the British advance on the 10th of April, when he was repulsed, having five hundred men killed, and was subsequently deserted by almost all the remainder of his troops. He was then compelled to retreat inside the fortress of Magdala, where, supported by some few devoted followers, he made desperate resistance to the English; but finding his cause made hopeless by the assault of Napier's stormers, he committed suicide by a pistol shot, as the British approached his last stand-point.

LONDON, April 27.

The trial of the Clerkenwell prisoners closed to-day. Barrett was found guilty and the others were acquitted.

To-day was observed as an impromtu holiday, in consequence of the British victory in Abyssinia and the safety of Prince Alfred.

BERLIN, April 27.

The North German Parliament opened to-day. The King's speech was pacific throughout. He trusted the relations of North Germany with other Powers would justify the belief that the maintenance of peace was the great and only object.

Fortieth Congress---First Session

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, April 28.

Mr. Sumner offered an order that on the final judgment by the Senate, questions arising thereupon shall be decided by a majority. It was objected to, and laid over.

After recapitulating his position of yesterday, he took up the subject of the President's alledged justification by reason of the advice given him by his Cabinet. To hold that the President could not shield himself behind the opinions of his own creatures, whose sentiments were prompted by the fear of losing their positions. He characterized the Cabinet, in the newly assumed functions, as a "fungus growth which sought to make itself a Directory." He argued that if the members of the Cabinet were intended to advise the President on questions of general policy, and shield him from responsibility for his action, they would have been made independent of his control. He claimed that the President had failed to show any sufficient cause for his desire to remove Mr. Stanton; that he was a thorn in his side, but so was Congress, and so was Grant and every loyal man.

Mr. Williams held that the wanton removal of a meritorious officer, from motives of personal dislike, were sufficient for impeachment. He then referred to the President's failure to commence legal proceedings, which he maintained would not have suited his purpose—to have an interregnum, wherein his own will should be supreme. He then gave a satirical and humorous description of the conduct of General Thomas on the 21st and 22d of February, including his appearance at the masquerade, and with regard to the defense set up by the President, that he has a right to resist and bring to a judicial decision the laws he considered unconstitutional. Mr. Williams maintained that no provision of the Constitution required such a confirmation, and that extreme cases of unconstitutional laws was not supposable. He would admit that the Senate was now sitting as a court, but it was a court of exclusive jurisdiction, which could decide this whole matter according to its own ideas, guided but not bound by precedents and laws. He then argued that the suspension of Mr. Stanton was made under the Tenure-of-Office law, which the President thereby recognized, and maintained that the ascertainment of evil intent was not necessary in this case as in all others, but it was inferred from the articles. Comparing the conduct of Mr. Johnson with that of James II, he said it only now remained to see whether the parallel would be complete. He contended that the safety of the people and the supreme law—the only law by which this case should be properly tried—was being belittled by trivial legal technicalities, and he thought the Senate ought to take the larger view of it. In regard to the eleventh article, he said he had not the heart to dwell on the disagraceful conduct which formed its subject. If the President, like his counsel, made merry over it, he could only say that "Nero fiddled while Rome was burning," and said an culprit would find in the Senate a censor more stern than Cato.

In conclusion he said the result of the trial would determine whether the President or the Senate would go down, and depicted a series of fearful consequences that would follow from acquittal, and said peace, happiness and prosperity would result from conviction.

Mr. Butler then rose to a personal explanation, stating that the opinion in the Alta Villa case was given before the impeachment was decided upon. He condemned Nelson in severe terms. Nelson said the imputations against him were outrageous. He had supposed the original opinion was dated like the copy.

Mr. Evarts then addressed the Senate and Chief Justice in behalf of the President. His opening remarks were in reference to the character of the case, that Congress was attacking the other co-ordinate branches of the Government, and the people looked to this trial for a decision which would restrain that aggressive branch within its proper limits. The oath of the President was not merely the common oath, faithfully to discharge the duties of his office, but included the unique and sublime obligation to preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States. The people have formed and will adhere to the determination that the oath shall not be taken in vain. They are converts to no theories of Congressional omnipotence, and when they hear this sword of impeachment is drawn, they wish to know the crimes with which the President has been charged and for which it is sought to depose him; they understand what treason and bribery are in all their ramifications; but on going through with all their list they are told that his crime is having removed a member of his Cabinet, and are told that it becomes a crime because Congress, for the first time in the history of the Government, has made it so. He undertook to make an *ad interim* Secretary of War, and now, in consequence, they are to have made for them an *ad interim* President. They also ascertain that no force was employed, and no removal was made, except on paper, and that for the purpose of procuring a decision of the Supreme Court, to prevent which vigorous action was at once taken by those who bring the accusation. In short, said Mr. Evarts, the people see that it is a question of supremacy between Congress and the Constitution. They did not hold to the idea that the Constitution was made only four our infancy, but felt that it was to be the guide and bonds of our maturest manhood, and were determined that law should continue to be the guardian of liberty. Referring then to the position assumed by the Managers, that this tribunal is not a court, Mr. Evarts said it was the first time he ever knew a prosecution to make the assertion; thus his case was *coram non judice*, but they probably felt that the only way to prevent their case being turned out of court was to turn the court out of the case. As to the English precedents adduced to show that this body is not a court, he said Parliament was the Supreme Court of that nation, and that impeachment was only a part of its judicial functions, in which view he was supported by the authority of Chancellor Thurlow. If this is not an altar of justice, it is merely an altar of sacrifice, and the Managers have taken no pains to conceal the party spirit and party hate which had hurried through the preparations for this procedure, and read some declarations on this subject made by the Managers in the opening of the trial. He called attention to the words of one of the Managers, who spoke of the Senators as "Headsmen standing on the scaffold with their swords ready, they having tried the culprit on the night of the 21st of February." He characterized these assertions as insulting to the Court, and as cruel and unwarranted. He then read from the debates on the formation of the Constitution, to show that the power to impeach and try the President was granted, with hesitation, to the Senate, and only because of the reliance placed upon their observance of a judicial oath. Mr. Evarts then dwelt on the tremendous power and meaning of the little words Truth, Oath, Justice and Duty, and appealed to the Senators to brace themselves, and by all their integrity, truly and justly to observe their oaths, and perform their solemn duty.

At the conclusion of his eloquent exordium the Court and Senate adjourned at four o'clock and forty minutes.

HOUSE.

A copy of the new constitution of South Carolina was laid before the House, and referred to the Reconstruction Committee.

Bills admitting South Carolina, North Carolina and Louisiana were introduced, and referred to the same committee.

A resolution was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations requesting the President to send war vessels to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, to enforce the treaty of 1783, regarding the fisheries.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The friends and acquaintances of G. W. L. Crook and wife are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of their youngest son, FRANCY, from their residence, No. 108 Alabama street, at four o'clock this evening, April 29, 1868. Services by Rev. A. T. Mann.

Hacks furnished by Flaherty & Walsh, Second street, below Monroe.

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Cash Assets January 1, 1867,

$303,689 00.

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$431,276 00.

Declared to Stockholders for year 1867 a Dividend of 25 per cent. upon Capital, amounting to

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PREMIUM RECEIPTS FOR 1867.

Fire Branch,	- - - -	$163,123 00
Marine Branch,	- - - -	$156,331 00
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Paid during the year 1867,	-	$118,463 00

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IN ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH,

CORNER LINDEN & DESOTO STS.,

On Thursday Evening, at half-past 7 o'clock.

Subject:

VIEWS OF CATHOLICITY, FROM WITHIN AND WITHOUT. apr28

E. H. FLYNN, RETAIL GROCER,

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HAM for sale FRESH COUNTRY BUTTER, SLICED HAM and CHIP BEEF, of the best quality. apr21

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WE will sell on WEDNESDAY MORNING, the 29th instant, at ten o'clock, the well known SALOON and RESTAURANT,

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BOND ELECTION!

Judges, Clerks, Etc.

THE following will be the places for Voting and the Judges and Clerks at the Election on THURSDAY, the 30th instant, for the issuance of TIME BONDS for the purpose of funding the past due debt of the city:

FIRST WARD ENGINE HOUSE—Judges, John Newsom, A. Rankert and J. G. Dyer; Clerks, A. W. Newsom and F. C. Schaffer; Sheriff, John W. Taylor.

THIRD WARD ENGINE HOUSE.—Judges, John Park, R. S. Myers and F. J. Attwell; Clerks, John C. Bridges and J. A. Newsom; Sheriff, E. Marshall.

FIFTH WARD ENGINE HOUSE.—Judges, A. T. Shaw C. B. Church and James Banks; Clerks, C. W. Newsom and John L. Long; Sheriff, R. G. Shaw.

SEVENTH WARD ENGINE HOUSE—Judges, O. C. Jones J. D. Wimberly and W. R. Duncan; Clerks, D. W. Richard and E. E. Hoy; sheriff, James Swan.

Polls will be opened at ten o'clock a.m. and closed at five p.m. Judges will see that the existing franchise laws of the State are complied with.

The Judges and Clerks will be qualified at the Polls, in each precinct, at half-past nine o'clock.

By order of E. McDAVITT, Mayor pro tem.

C. T. SEXTON, Sergeant-at-Arms.

Approved—J. J. SPEED, Commissioner of Registration for Shelby county, Tennessee. apr28

Notice in Bankruptcy.

United States of America,
Western District of Tennessee, ss.

THIS is to give notice that on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1868, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of

JAMES RICE,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at office No. 436 Main street, in Waldran Block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 14th day of May, A. D., 1868, at 10 o'clock a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 25th day of April, A.D. 1868.

J. M. TOMENY,
United States Marshal, as Messenger.
By J. B. BINGHAM, Western District of Tennessee,
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SPENCE B. LAMB,

of Memphis, in the county of Shelby, and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 436 Main street, in Waldran Block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock, a.m. Memphis, Tennessee, 25th day of April, A. D., 1868.

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AZARIAH L. KIMBRO,

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THOMAS BREROD,

of Dell Depot, in the county of Tipton, and State of Tennessee, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at 436 Main street, Waldran Block, Memphis, Tennessee, before Thomas J. Latham, Esq., Register, on the 2d day of May, A. D., 1868, at 10 o'clock a. m. Memphis, Tennessee, 25th day of April, A. D., 1868.

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French Flowers, Ribbons,
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Household, Miners' or Camp Use,

And take pleasure in calling the attention of Stove, Hardware and general dealers to the many desirable qualities of the NEW WARE, not only as an article of trade, but of utility, combining, as it does, Neatness, Convenience and Labor Saving in the case of cleaning, that are in every day use, in the most important of all Household Departments. We desire and request every housekeeper to see our TEA KETTLES, SAUCE PANS, DIPPERS, DISH PANS, WASH BASINS, POLISHED PAN AND STEW PANS, as we are sure they have only to be seen to be appreciated.

Many of the articles are made entirely of one piece of wrought iron, which, during the process of manufacture, receive several coatings of block tin; this leaves a surface, when finished, perfectly smooth, easily kept clean and entirely protected against rust. The cost is but little more than common tin-ware, and every article will do ten times the service. The shape enables us to pack the various sizes in nests so as to occupy but little space, and being but a little heavier than tin-ware the cost of transportation is very small. At present our assortment consists in part of

Tea Kettles, Camp Kettles,
Mess Pans, Dish Pans, Sauce Pans,
Dish Kettles, Fry Pans,
Ladles, Dippers, etc., etc.

We are now preparing a new Catalogue and Price List, an believe Stove and Hardware dealers will find it to their interest to send for a copy of such before purchasing elsewhere Address EXCELSIOR MANUFACTURING CO.,
St. Louis, Missouri.

Sold by J. F. SCHABEL & CO.,
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United States of America,
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JESSE W. PAGE, SR.,

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OLD WINE & LIQUOR HOUSE

THE DAILY AVALANCHE.

WEDNESDAY, : : : APRIL 29, 1868

OFFICIAL JOURNAL

OF THE CITY AND BOARD OF SCHOOL VISITORS.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Through Mail Daily	4:00 P.M.	12:00 P.M.
Through Express Daily	10:40 P.M.	11:20 P.M.
Corinth Accommodation Daily, except Sunday		6:00 A.M.
Somerville Accommodation (daily, except Sunday)	8:25 A.M.	5:00 P.M.

Railroad time twenty minutes faster than city time. Ticket offices, 276 Main street and at Depot.

☞ Through Express does not leave Saturdays or arrive Sundays.

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
New Orleans Express—Daily	4:35 P.M.	4:15 P.M
Sardis Accommodation, Daily, except Sunday	9:30 A.M	1:30 P.M
Freight, North, Monday, Wednesday and Friday; South, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday	3:25 P.M.	8:30 A.M

Takes effect Sunday, March 8, 1868.

MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Day Express	9:15 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
Night Express	3:10 P.M.	4:00 P.M.

Railroad time 15 minutes faster than city. Ticket office No. 257½ Main street. Depot head of Main street.

Officers and conductors of railroads are requested to give no free transportation to any one on the credit of the Avalanche.

M. C. GALLAWAY & CO.

THE LATEST CONTEMPT CASE.

Petition of Captain Anderson Filed Before Judge Pierce.

The case of Captain Van Anderson was before Judge Pierce, of the Law Court, last evening, Captain Van Anderson filed a petition before Judge Pierce, Judge of the Law Court, alleging that Judge Hunter, while sitting as a committing magistrate, had fined him ten dollars for contempt, and ordered him to be imprisoned for ten days in jail, and that he was then under arrest. Judge Pierce issued the writ, returnable at three o'clock yesterday, at which time Captain Van Anderson appeared with his counsel, General John F. Sale and Col. John Bullock, and read the Sheriff's return, which was that he held the prisoner by virtue of Judge Hunter's mittimus, charging him with contempt.

Judge Pierce inquired if Judge Hunter had been notified.

Sheriff Curry said he had. Attorney General Wallace stated that, although the representative of the State, he could not represent Judge Hunter, for he was against him in his contempt proceedings, on the legal points involved, and wishes time to permit Judge Hunter to get counsel to represent him.

Judge Pierce: The courtesy due to courts from each other seems to suggest the propriety of giving notice to the Judge, and an opportunity to be heard.

General Sale: We not only assent, but desire such course.

Col. Bullock: Capt. Van Anderson does not wish one Judge to snatch him from another. He is a lawyer, and as such an officer of the Court, and visited Judge Hunter in his own court-room to be heard; but as we have made out on the face of the papers and the Sheriff's return a *prima facia* case, we ask that the petitioner be admitted to bail.

Judge Pierce: Let him give bail to appear to-morrow, at 3 o'clock, in the sum of $1,000, and the Clerk will issue a notice to the Sheriff to notify Judge Hunter.

Attorney-General Wallace, and Judge Thomas R. Smith became bondsmen, and Capt. Van Anderson was released.

A CARD.

In this connection we publish a card received yesterday from Captain Anderson, and have merely to say that our information did come through a second or third party, and was so given.

MESSRS. EDITORS AVALANCHE—DEAR SIRS: The publication in this morning's paper is very much to me totally incorrect. The source from which your local derived his information is unsound.

Respectfully,

VAN A. W. ANDERSON.

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Pulling hen's teeth and securing a quorum at the Chamber of Commerce are equally possible.

Police Commissioner Richards, yesterday, settled the hash for twenty-four applicants for justice.

Henry Ross and Arthur Spike (colored) were arrested in the country, Monday night, for stealing meat from a marketman.

John Simpson is to be examined before Esquire Kiernan to-day, charged with drawing a pistol on Stephen Cochran.

In consequence of the unfavorable weather the Odd Fellows' picnic, announced for the 30th, has been postponed until Thursday week.

Our young friend Mr. C. F. Geoghen, of Moon & Geoghen, cotton dealers, has returned from a business trip to the North, looking all the better for the inhalation of stiff breezes.

Our sanctum was brightened and made fragrant last evening by a lovely bouquet from some of the young ladies of Mr. M. V. B. Shattuck's Linden street school. May they all graduate with honor and marry rich editors.

Yesterday, Mr. J. D. Danbury showed us a specimen of the Goodrich Early Potato, which grew in seventy days, and is four and three-fourths inches in circumference. It was planted on the 17th of February, and all things considered, is a stunner. He informs us that the yield is very large.

Mr. H. B. Plant, President, and Mr. Mike J. O'Brien, General Superintendent of the Southern Express Company, have been in the city a day or two. Mr. Willman, traveling passenger agent of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad, was at the Overton yesterday.

DEAD CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS.—During the war Robert Smith, of Stone's Sixth Tennessee, Warren Coffman and Dan Mathews, of Sims' Texas regiment, and Captain Pleasants, of Little Rock, Arkansas, or vicinity, died at the residence of Mrs. C. R. Steward, in this city, and were buried at Elmwood. Mr. Smith expired while on board the Brazos. He and Coffman died of disease, and Captain Pleasants from wounds received in the battle of Helena. This paragraph is written with the hope that it may be read by relatives or friends of the deceased who do not know where they fell, Arkansas and Texas papers will please copy.

TURF, FIELD AND FARM.—The last number contains more than its usual amount of interesting and valuable matter, including turf matters in this country and Europe, the drama, agriculture, and editorials on various popular topics, etc., etc.

NOTICE TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.—Great reduction in passenger fare. Memphis to New York, first class, $35; Memphis to Omaha, first class, $27; Memphis to St. Paul, first class, $35. For through tickets to any point in the United States, and any information, passengers are respectfully invited to call at the General Union Railroad and Steamboat Ticket Office, No. 5 Jefferson street, Memphis.

LEVY & MILLER, Agents.

E. B. BYINGTON, General Agent. tf

PLANTERS.—Brogans, negro plaids and stripes, Osnaburgs, calicoes, bleached and brown domestics, cottonades, linens, bed-ticking and boots and shoes are being sold at extra bargains at J. H. Loewenstine & Bro.'s, No. 231 Main street, Clay Building. 2w

Ladies, having a large stock of dress goods, lawns, house furnishing linens, shoes and fancy dry goods, we are selling them at extra low prices. Call and see the bargains. J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., No. 231 Main street, Clay Building. 2w

COST! COST!! COST!!—The large and splendid stock of coats, shoes and hats—one of the finest in the South—to be closed out at less than Eastern cost, for cash, at J. T. Hanlan & Co.'s, No. 276 Main street. 1m

GENTS.—An extra large stock of clothing, boots, hats and furnishing goods are being cleared out at less than Eastern cost, at J. H. Loewenstine & Bros.'s, No. 231 Main street, Clay Building. 2w

The ladies are respectfully invited to attend the sale of dry goods at Iglauer & Prits, this morning at ten o'clock, by the auctioneers, W. H. Passmore & Co.

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

Just received—silk trimmings, buttons, cotton drop and bullion fringe, the latest novelties, at A. Seessel & Son's, No. 259 Main street. tf

Dress goods and trimmings, very cheap, from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

New style of prints at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Our damaged stock of dry goods must be closed out within thirty days.

1w 203 Main street.

Striped silks, just received by A. Seessel & Son, No. 259 Main street. 1w

New lace points, from bankrupt importer's sale, at less than gold prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

THE SPRING MEETING.

The Second Day Furnishes Two Fine Races Over a Muddy Track.

Ontario Takes the First, and Joe Johnston Comes in for the Second.

What will be Done To-day—Two Contests—A Lively Time Looked For.

Rain Monday night and at intervals during yesterday forenoon caused apprehensions of an almost total failure of the second day's races. In consequence, instead of the attendance at the course increasing, the number was not larger than on the previous day. About one o'clock the sun came out brilliantly, and remained throughout the afternoon. It produced no effect on the track for the nonce, which was even heavier than on Monday, but gave earnest of finer sport to-day. Notwithstanding the drawback of bad weather, there were two races, and good ones at that, the winners being compelled to work with a will for their money.

FIRST RACE.

For this there were only two entries, as follows:

Association Purse, $250; mile heats, for three years old; entrance, $15 p. p., entrance money to go to second horse.

M. C. Costillo b. c. Sea-gull, three years old, by Bill Cheatham; dam Seasnine by Childe Harold. Dress—Red and blue.

R. A. Smith ch. f. Ontario, three years old by imp. Bonnie Scotland, dam Lady Lancaster. Dress—Blue and white.

FIRST HEAT.—Seagull had the inside. At the tap of the drum Ontario struck out spiritedly, taking the lead, and making the quarter pole in 29, the bay colt following closely on his haunches. They galloped up the back stretch lively, lapped. At the half mile pole they were squarely down to their work, head and head; but on rounding the turn Ontario sent the mud after Seagull's rider, rattled down the home stretch, gradually enlarging the daylight, and running under the string three lengths ahead. Time, 29—1:00—29¾.

SECOND HEAT.—Seagull got ahead at the start, but Ontario put it down stubbornly and now shot ahead. They passed the quarter in 31½, Ontario in the lead. They again lapped on the way to the second pole, but upon passing it, Ontario suddenly kicked up his heels, gave the bay the go-by without as much as saying "by your leave," and had it his own way, by the third quarter, down the home stretch, and to the stand, gallantly winning the heat and race by a length and a half. Time, 31¼—1:04—2:12.

SUMMARY.

Association Purse, $250 00; mile heats, for three years old; entrance, $15 p. p., entrance money to go to second horse.

R. A. Smith, ch. f. Ontario, three years old, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, dam Lady Lancaster	1	1
M. C. Costillo c. c. Seagull, three years old, by Bill Cheatham, dam Seasnine by Childe Harrold	2	2

Time: 2:09¾—2:12.

SECOND RACE.

Three horses were to start in the second race, and all had enthusiastic admirers. One, Theta, was to make her maiden effort, but turfmen were confident she would give a good account of herself. Jo. Johnston and Veto, both beaten over the course last fall, were the favorites, first one and then the other taking precedence in pools. The following were the entries:

Association Purse, $300; two mile heats, free for all ages.

William Bradley, ch. h. Veto, seven years old, by Lexington, dam Levity by Imp. Glencoe. Dress—Red and white.

Yancey & Greenfield b. m. Theta, four years old, by Vandal, dam Duchess de Berri. Dress—Green and white.

E. Warwick b. h. Joe E. Johnston, six years old, by Gerdord, dam Judy, by imp. Sovereign. Dress—Red and blue, white sash.

FIRST HEAT.—Theta had the inside, Joe Johnston stood next, with Veto on the outside. Johnston struck ahead, but on rounding the turn to the first quarter Theta dropped into his place, passing the pole in that position, with Veto in the rear. No change occurred in the brisk gallop to the half mile pole, but upon reaching the latter point Veto snickered out: "good afternoon, Joseph," and challenged for the first place. This sort of knock-a-chip off-my-shouldering was kept up until after making the first mile. But on rounding the second mile Veto and Joe came closer together, and at the quarter neither had much to boast of, although Veto's nose reached farthest. On they went this way, Theta still ahead, until making the half mile, when Johnston came up for the like this sort of "foolishing," made a few thundering strides and put the cherry nag in the back ground. This was between the second and third poles, and now came the struggle for the mastery. Theta was sufficiently ahead for a large streak of daylight to peep through, but Joe's mettle was up, and in a moment he was by the mare's side, with Veto on his haunches. They then swung splendidly into the home stretch, pealing deafening shouts from the crowd, whose enthusiasm threatened to boil over. "Johnston's ahead," yell a hundred, and so he was. He very politely invited Theta to "clear the track," and came under the string with two lengths to spare. Theta second, and Veto a close third. Time, 31—1:04—2:13—4:21.

SECOND HEAT.—The positions were: Joe Johnston next Veto in the pole, and Theta and Veto in the rear, respectively. Several ineffectual attempts were made before a start could be effected. Finally, the horses were off, Joe Johnston, backed by the imperturbable "Bobby," jumping into the lead Veto chained in second, leaving Theta in the rear, and for the eighth character in the Greek alphabet to bring up the rear. Before reaching the quarter Veto shot by Johnston, as plumply as Andy Johnson ever shot a veto into Congress. Up the back stretch they went, pell-mell, preserving the same relations, but at the second dealight couldn't be coaxed into view between them; but Veto stubbornly refused to allow his competitors a look at his features, by keeping putting it down kept well ahead throughout the first mile. He couldn't be turned down until after passing the first quarter on the second mile, when Theta, who had been following Joe Johnston, closed up. In a twinkle she put him in the rear, and gallantly pressed Veto for the front. The horses shot by the half-mile pole clustered, but about midway to the quarter Theta dropped to the rear. At the head of the home stretch Veto still led, with Johnston still at his heels, Theta well behind. But the tug did not find Joseph unprepared. His rider had been holding him in; now the whip and spur touched his flanks and he moved forward at increased speed, throwing himself to the front and sailing by the string in 4:23, winning the heat and race, with Veto on his heels and Theta distanced. Time, 33—1:06—2:13—4:23.

SUMMARY.

Association Purse, $300; two mile heats, free for all ages.

E. Warwick b. h. Joe E. Johnston, six years old, by Gerdord, dam Judy, by imp. Sovereign	1	1
William Bradly ch. h. Veto seven years old, by Lexington, dam Levity by imp. Trustee	3	2
Yancey & Greenfield b. m. Theta, four years old, by Vandal, dam Duchess de Berrie	2	dis

MISCELLANEOUS.

The usual good order prevailed, there being not even the slightest symptoms of a disturbance of any kind. The police were in full attendance as usual. The gate was in good hands, and Marshal Taylor, who is in charge of the entrance ticket selling, was up to his eyes in greenbacks. Cameron's drinkery and eatery were well patronized, and the "sports" at the ladies' under the main stand were occasionally putting their clamps on a stray dollar at roulette, "old chuck," faro or other tempters.

TO-DAY'S RACES.

There will certainly be fine weather, a good track, and tip-top racing to-day. We subjoin the entries:

FIRST RACE.

Sweepstake (changed from Gayoso) sweepstake; two mile dash. Entrance, $25; play for three year olds; three or more to fill. Sequels to add $500. Entrance money to go to second horse.

M. C. Costillo, b. c. Sea Gull, three years old, by Bill Cheatham; dam Swannie, by Childe Harold. Dress—Green and white.

M. C. Costillo, b. f., three years old, by Shelby; dam Paricine, by imp. Tranby. Dress—Green and white.

J. Bissick's b. c. Pat Malloy, 3 years old, by Lexington, dam Eclipse. Dress—Yellow and red.

P. Bissick's b. c. Hazzard, 3 years old, by Lexington, dam Heads I Say, by Glencoe. Dress—Yellow and red.

P. Mitchell's bk. c. Elgin, 3 years old, by Sbe by, by imported Eagle. Dress—Red and white.

R. A. Smith's ch. f., 3 years old, Columbia, by imp. Bonnie Scotland, dam Young Fashion, by Monarch. Dress—Blue and white.

R. A. Smith's ch. f., 3 years old, Fannie Moore, by imported Bonnie Scotland, dam Adelia, by imp. Albion.

SECOND RACE.

Association purse, $250, mile heats, free for all.

R. A. Smith's ch. f. Malcombia, 4 years old, by Bonnie Scotland, dam Lady Lancaster. Dress—White and blue.

P. Ewing's ch. g. Bill Forrest, five years old, by Hiawatha, dam Prairie Flower, by Imported Sovereign. Dress—Green, orange and red.

J. Crowley's b. m. Reelfoot, five years old, by Reserve, dam by Sythias. Dress—Blue and white.

In the [illegible] pools last night for the first race Malcolm was favorite, [illegible] odds of three to one; Bill Forrest and Hiawatha colt second; and Reelfoot third. For the second race Bissick's [illegible] entries were first, Mitchell's second, Smith's third and Costillo's fourth.

ATTENTION, LANCERS.—At an adjourned meeting, Friday, the 24th instant, of the gentlemen called together at the request of Captain Van, at the editorial rooms of the *Appeal*, J. P. Strange was called to the chair and Dr. W. N. Wilkerson, the Secretary, took his place, when the following was adopted:

Resolved, That gentlemen wishing to join in the exhibition of platoon *modelle* drill of European *lanciers* be requested to leave their names at the editorial rooms of the *Appeal*, with Captain Van, who will give all information required, and whose name will be referred to a committee composed of Major G. V. Rambaut, Major J. DuBose and Dr. W. N. Wilkerson. J. V. STRANGE, Ch'n.

W. N. WILKERSON, Sec. 3t

Doors, Glass, Sash and Blinds can be bought low at B. K. Plain & Co.'s, 364 Second street. 1m

Great bargains in lace points, from bankrupt importer's sale, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Just received, a large stock of lace points, by A. Seessel & Son. 1w

Linens, damask, towels, from bankrupt importer's sale, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

The Recent Concert at St. Lazarus Church.

As we promised on Saturday, we avail ourselves of the time since permitted us to speak to our readers at some length of the brilliant concert given by Mr. Leo Wheat, at St. Lazarus church, on Friday night last. Successful as brilliant, it deserves more than the mere passing mention we gave it in our Saturday's issue. Serving the double purpose of amusing and instructing, occasions of this sort should be fostered and encouraged in honied words, and perpetuated in becoming commentary long after the strains and harmonies that vitalized them have passed away. We compliment ourselves, as it were, in thus marking our appreciation and estimate of song and singers—music and its interpreters.

It was to be expected of Mr. Wheat, by the lovers of classic music, that at some time he would treat them to a programme worthy of his study and the schools from which he has graduated; that the first opportunity offering he would, with the assistance of the resident artistic talent of Memphis, afford them opportunity for the enjoyment of such a musical occasion as seldom offers away from the great centers of artistic excellence. This expectation was fully realized at Friday night's concert, on which occasion Wheat and Sabatzky led off with the intricate "Marche aux Flambeaux," by Meyerbeer, rendered with too marked precision and a noticeable marking of time in some passages, yet, nevertheless, and mainly with artist-like off-handness and skill. This was followed by the "Tel Rammenti" of Campana, given by Mrs. Tomlinson (soprano) and her sister, Mrs. Howe (contralto.) Suffering from the remnant of a severe throat affection, Mrs. Tomlinson, in the estimation of her friends, yet fully sustained the position which elsewhere, as here, has always been accorded her as an *amateur artiste* of the front rank. A beautiful movement, full of sweetest and blending harmonies, involving nice discrimination of expression, this gem was so interpreted by these ladies as to quite carry the audience into a thorough and loud applause. Mrs. Howe, in the one or two solo passages occurring in her part, gave evidence of high degree of culture and good schooling. Her voice, rather of the mezzo than the contralto range, possesses sweetness and that peculiarity of her sister's tones that is best expressed in English by the word "sympathetic." Mr. Wheat's "Trembling Leaves" was a happy thought in this musical chapter; interpreted with masterly skill; noticeably with the precision, accent and distinctness of tone that is his prominent characteristic as a pianist. He was loudly applauded, of course. Gounod's grand song, "Jesus of Nazareth," was next given by Mrs. Tomlinson, with an improvement and clearness of voice that augured what we afterwards realized in the two duos with Sabatzky—"Meditation," by Donizetti, and "Guarda che Bianchs Luna," by Campana—which elicited encores as long as the enraptured audience. Mr. Sabatzky, as he always does, acquitted himself in a way to sustain his high reputation, and merit the renewed consideration of our music-loving public. A thorough musician of careful practice, he stands alone in this section of the country as a singer. Resonant, of great volume and power, his voice (pure baritone) has yet all the qualities of sympathy and pathos necessary for the varied *role* of a successful master of the divine art. We should have had a solo from him; in that we did not we were disappointed. He sings honestly, interprets carefully, and should be a model for all persons who strive after truthfulness and good method in song. Mr. Sabatzky was also duly successful in his rendition of the "Rondo Russe" of DeBeriot, though carelessly accompanied by Wheat, and should have had a place in the second part, inasmuch as there was no other solo in competition, nor concerted performance for the sister instrument, the violincello. The audience desired to hear him again, and should have had the opportunity. Farmer, flutist, was particularly successful on variations. In the habit for years past of listening to him in the concert hall, the theater, and private soiree, we are compelled by the excellence of his performances on this night to declare that we never heard him to greater advantage—and this was the general verdict. Softly, sweetly, and with all becoming tenderness, sometimes a little too eagerly, but never losing himself in the mere mazy variations, he interpreted his part in the beautiful Trio, "Selections from Norma," assisted by Tomlinson as flute secondo, and Wheat at the piano. The blending melodies of this popular opera, that have for years kept their place in the concert hall, were promptly recognized and so highly appreciated that an encore followed the conclusion, and a floral tribute from an enthusiastic hand. The encore evening. Just what was rendered, calling for fresh applause for the performers. Mr. Tomlinson, one of the most skilful amateurs we ever had in Memphis, acquitted himself with his accustomed ease and correctness, and fully sustained a reputation all his own. Farmer's flute solo from "Le Pardon de Ploermel," and Wheat's fantasie on "Long, Long Weary Day," were the gems of the evening. The latter especially was a brilliant gem, and called upon an encore that fortunately compelled the performance of another fantasie not quite so involved but equally beautiful, "Down by the River Side," to which Mr. Wheat displayed even more clearly that distinguishes him from a host of "first pianists." In the treatment of these melodies he throughout carefully protected their pathos, not once throwing away or misplacing a single note for the sake of "effect," often, as a trick too often attempted by popular pianists. Smoothly, the songs moved sweetly along, every note in its place, surrounded but not obscured by intricate variations of harmonious accord, which, blending in a flood of telling effect, left an impression of satisfaction and excited nervous desire for a repetition. Of his own arrangement, and of a character to display his genius, we did not receive higher evidence of the ability and genius that signalize Leo Wheat as an artist than these two fantasies. We hope for a repetition of the concert, with but a few slight alterations in the programme, among them the omission of the names of ladies or gentlemen, whose assent for such use has been withheld. It is embarrassing to the audience, who have a right to expect the fulfillment of the programme in every particular, and leads to misunderstandings or explanations that are always better avoided.

MAYDAY PICNIC.—We learn that a grand picnic will be given under the auspices of Division No. 57 of the Sons of Temperance, on Friday, the first of May, on the picnic grounds, near the brick church in Chelsea. The order in the city will attend in procession, with appropriate music and full insignia. Every facility will be afforded for them and their many friends to spend a happy day in the cool shades and inviting arbors of Chelsea.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT ON SOUTH STREET.—Late Monday night Mr. Peter Walsh, while walking on South near Causey street, was knocked down with a slung shot by a negro footpad, badly beaten and robbed of a purse containing a few dollars. He was found sometime afterward by a policeman and conveyed to the station house.

An immense quantity of embroideries, from bankrupt importer's sale, at less than gold prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Fifty dozen ladies' white cotton hose, slightly damaged by water, from fifteen to twenty-five cents per pair. [1w] RICK & ENGEL.

One thousand hats, from fifty cents to one dollar. RICK & ENGEL.

1w 203 Main street, Webster Block.

Embroidered yokes, infants' robes, and marseilles suits, at A. Seessel & Son's, No. 259 Main street. tf

NUT COAL.—A fresh supply just received and for sale by Brown & Jones, 247 Second street.

Lace points, from bankrupt importer's sale, at less than gold prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

Lonsdale cambric, very low, by the piece, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

Fifty pieces linen lawn at a sacrifice. Were wet, but not damaged [1w] RICK & ENGEL.

Hosiery and handkerchiefs, a large stock, from bankrupt importer's sale, very cheap, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Great bargains in goods from bankrupt importer's sale, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Remember, Hesse & Co's stock of damaged goods must be sold without regard to price or value, at 234 Main street. tf

New goods from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. at great bargains. 3t

Fancy trimmings, of all the latest styles, just arrived, at A. Seessel & Son. 1w

The largest stock of marseilles and pique in the city, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

Misses' shoes, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

Alexandre's kids, new shades, just received at A. Seessel & Son's. tf

Second large arrival of fancy dress goods, by A. Seessel & Son. 1w

Lumber, Shingles and Laths can be bought low of B. K. Plain & Co., 364 Second street. 1m

We will sell our damaged stock regardless of cost or value. Hesse & Co, 234 Main street. tf

New checked silks, very cheap, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Pittsburg and Kentucky coal and gas coke, Brown & Jones, office 247 Second street. tf

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners.

April 27th, the report of Munson *et al.*, Commissioners to view and charge Macon, was referred back, on account of the signatures being all in the same hand.

W P Stewart, D Crenshaw, James Vann, Robert Barrough and James H McMurray, were appointed Commissioners to have a bridge built over Ream creek.

One hundred and twenty-one dollars were appropriated to R B Miller, for services as Acting Coroner.

G A Faumaslacke was appointed overseer of Phillips' avenue.

Fifty-seven dollars were appropriated to A W Taylor, for services as Deputy Sheriff for twenty-three days.

One hundred dollars to William Priddy, for supporting two blind persons, Joel Williams and Martha Williams, his wife.

Accounts of T W Lucker and John Blain, $75 and $85. Paid.

Correction of assessment of R C Brinkley. Passed.

Seventy-five dollars to F W Lucker, for enumeration of scholastic population in the Eleventh Civil District.

Eighty-five dollars to John Blain, for similar services.

License of B Ferguson transferred to Miriam Jackel.

Petition of H C Brewer et al, to open new road in Eighth Civil District. Granted.

Petition of W B Williamson et al, for permission to open a second class road. Granted.

Commissioner Lewis was authorized to prepare a synopsis of his report on the Poor House and have it printed in the German newspaper, the *News Zeit*.

Tax on marriage license to county repealed.

Three hundred and four dollars appropriated to D H Hildebrand, balance for building two bridges.

All persons wrongly assessed must make it known within forty days.

Petition of C L Brooks et al. Referred back.

Ralph Hathaway et al, ex parte petition to open a road. Adopted.

Henry T Bragg appointed Overseer on Memphis and Louisville road.

Petition of L B Stovall et al. Granted.

Application of Edward Maguire, for duplicate of lost warrants. Laid over to October.

Petition of H W Boehm rejected.

April 28—Ordered that W B Celton be required to show why he should hold two county offices.

$32 paid to John Quimber for milk, eggs, etc., for Poor House.

J J Powers ordered to do certain work on the new jail, under the charge of J B Cook, architect.

Ordered by the Board that they refuse to pay the costs in the contempt case, in which Hon. Thomas Leonard was a party, and that the county attorney be directed to test the case by an appearance in the Supreme Court of the State. All yeas.

$262 to Eichberg for shoes, etc., December, 1867. Yeas 3, nays 2.

A resolution to make the office of Purveyor for the poor and look after the public buildings, at a salary of $125 per month, was laid over to next Monday.

Twenty five dollars appropriated to each Commissioner for "stationery." Ayes, Merriman, White and Lewis; nays, Hack and Louis.

One thousand four hundred and sixty-two dollars and twenty-five cents to Eichbert for stoves, "etc."

Ordered that Mr. Randolph be employed to appear with Thomas R. Smith for the Board in the contempt case, in the suit vs the Commissioners, appealed to said court.

The petition of John E. Burke to be appointed Constable in the Fifth Civil District was referred to the County Attorney, to report on Monday.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED.

Accounts—Merriman, Louis and Hack.

Public Buildings—White, Lewis and Louis.

Jail—Lewis, Hack and Louis.

Roads and Bridges—Hack, White and Louis.

Finance—Lewis, Merriman and Louis.

Assessments—Merriman, Lewis and White.

Poor House—Louis, White and Lewis.

THE COURTS.

LAW COURT—*James O. Pierce, Judge.*—Case No. 1638—Tennessee National Bank vs Choate—on trial before R. J. Morgan as special Judge, commenced on Monday last, was concluded last evening, the jury returning a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $1,060 75.

The list of cases published on yesterday, which were not reached, will be called up for trial to-day.

The *habeas corpus* case of the State vs Van A. W. Anderson came up yesterday morning. The trial of the case was continued until three o'clock p.m. to-day, in order that Judge Hunter might be notified to appear by counsel. Mr. Van Anderson was found guilty of contempt of court by Judge Hunter on Monday last, and fined $10 and sentenced to be imprisoned for ten days—hence the above petition for discharge under writ of *habeas corpus*.

MUNICIPAL COURT.—*George W. Waldran, Judge.* The cases of the calendar published on yesterday, remaining untried will be called up on trial to-day.

After adjournment of court the contempt case of Sheriff Curry was called up. Captain H. S. Lee appeared for the Sheriff and presented the amended return of the Sheriff.

Judge Waldran some days since granted the petition for *habeas corpus* in the case of the State vs Moran, Eagan and Fitzpatrick, charged with felony. Sheriff Curry refused to obey the fiat of the Judge, setting up as his plea that Judge Waldran had no jurisdiction of the persons charged, and also the written instructions from Judge Hunter of the Criminal Court, instructing the Sheriff not to obey any such writs issued from the Municipal Court. Judge Waldran stated that the orders of his court must be obeyed. He remarked that Judge Hunter seems to have changed his mind in regard to proceedings of this character, as on Saturday last Judge Hunter granted writs of *habeas corpus* made returnable to the Municipal Court. As counsel desired to present an argument on behalf of the Sheriff, the case will be called up for argument on Thursday next at ten o'clock a.m. Prosecuting Attorney Hudson will represent the Municipal Court in the argument.

UNITED STATES COURT.—*A. S. Mitchell, Clerk.*—The following additional petitions in bankruptcy have been filed since the publication of the last report: H K Farmer, Haywood county; Andrew McCoy, Gibson county; Thomas P Aydlett, Shelby county; Culpepper Brooks, Weakley county; Jas Hughes, Shelby county; J M Dodd, Gibson county; Ladd, Cartwright & Co, Shelby county; John Hood, Shelby county; Edward Kiernan, Shelby county; C B S Jones, Shelby county; Geo H Hellin, Haywood county; A H Merril, Shelby county; P G Haynes, Henry county; W S Burton, Fayette county; J B Stafford, Fayette county, J N Bowers, McNairy county; T A Osborn, Hardeman county; James A Simpson, McNairy county; P E Dodson, Tipton county; N N May, Shelby county; Wm B Jordan, Hardeman county; Geo Y Smith, Shelby county; Robert F Nailling, Obion county; R B Pierce, junior, Obion county; Wm Watkins, Henry county; John H Williams, Henry county; Edward Warburg, Shelby county; Wm M Herndon, Fayette county; A A Padgett, Shelby county; A Brand, Shelby county; Geo P Turner & Co, Fayette county; J L Foote, Fayette county; John H Hartley, Shelby county; S M Gammon, Carroll county; L Seligman, Shelby county; Mrs M J Small, Shelby county; Joseph Willis, Shelby county; Samuel Clements, Tipton county; Jas J Worrell, Fayette county; Pickard & Sullivan, Tipton county. The above list includes petitions filed up to April 28, 1868.

BEFORE UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER MORRISON.—In the case of Brown, Johnson and Newton, for having and attempting to pass counterfeit money, they were all bound over to the September term of the court—Johnson and Newton in $3,000 each, and Brown in $5,000.

BANKRUPTCY COURT—*T. J. Latham, Register.*—A meeting of the creditors was had in the cases of Thomas J Foster, C Mendel, Samuel Godey, Robert H Morgan, R J Morgan, Thomas N Buchanan, and an assignee appointed.

We take occasion to again direct the attention of those suffering from sexual and private affections to Russell's Dispensary, Nos. 40 and 42 North Court street. Dr. Russell, a regular graduate of medicine and a practitioner of many years standing in Memphis, has met with a success in the treatment of this aggravated class of diseases which has led him to devote his undivided time and attention to them, and those who place themselves in his hands will have the assurance of the speediest relief that medical skill and experience can afford. The doctor's dispensary is a model institution of the kind, pleasantly located, and fitted up with a special view to the comfort and, at the same time, the privacy of patients. A drug department is also about being added to the appointments of the institution, which will enable the Doctor to compound his own prescriptions from drugs of whose purity he is assured. The afflicted will make a note of this, and consult their future health and happiness by promptly placing themseives under the treatment of Dr. Russell.

TO MERCHANTS, JOBBERS AND RETAILERS.—Having an extra large stock of calicoes, bleached and brown domestics, stripes, bed ticking, jeans and linens, we are selling at New York quotations in order to close them out. Here are bargains for somebody. J. H. Loewenstine & Bros., No. 231 Main street, Clay Building. 2w

Lace points from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Embroideries from bankrupt importer's sale at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

NASHVILLE AND NORTHWESTERN RAILROAD.—Reports are being circulated that the trains of the Nashville and Northwestern Railroad have ceased running to McKenzie. This is not true. All trains still run to Union City, and will continue to make regular connections, both at that point and McKenzie.

F. S. RICHARDS,
General Superintendent.

A large stock of dress goods, from bankrupt importer's sale, at low prices, at B. Lowenstein & Bros. 3t

Illusion waist, latest styles, at A. Seessel & Son's, 259 Main street. tf

RIVER NEWS.

DAILY AVALANCHE OFFICE,
WEDNESDAY, April 29.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Commonwealth	NEW ORLEANS	10 a.m
Richmond	NEW ORLEANS	3 p.m
Frank Pargoud	NEW ORLEANS	3 p.m
Silver Moon	CINCINNATI	5 p.m

BUSINESS—WEATHER—RIVERS.

The weather continues cloudy, with April showers. The river here declined one inch in the past twenty-four hours. The Ohio is falling from Pittsburg to Cairo, with eight and a half feet in the canal and six and a half feet on the falls. The tributaries of the lower Ohio are reported falling steadily. The Arkansas is still on the decline with seven and a half feet in the channel from Little Rock out. White river is nearly bank full and reported stationary.

ARRIVALS.

Steamer Bismarck, New Orleans.
" S. H. Long, Madison.

DEPARTURES.

Steamer Bismarck, St. Louis.
" Commercial, White river.
" Mollie Hambleton, St. Francis.
" Mary Erwin, Cincinnati.

BOATS IN PORT.

Gleaner and Silver Moon.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Yesterday was another dull day on the wharf, with little movement in freights. The continued inclement weather retarded shipments to a great extent.

The local departures include the Commercial, for White river; Mollie Hambleton, for St. Francis river, and the Mary Erwin, for Cincinnati. All had fair trips.

The river here commenced falling yesterday, and declined one inch up to six p.m.

The upper streams are receding rapidly, and we will be able to report the same of the river here in a few days, which will be good news for the planters in the bends.

The Government snag-boat S. H. Long, which was built at Madison, Indiana, arrived last night, en route for the Arkansas, in which stream she will be employed in clearing it of the many snags and obstructions which have been so great an impediment to navigation.

E. B. Byington, the prince of railroad passenger agents, left last evening for St. Louis. "By" has perfected arrangements to ticket any person to all parts of the country, either by rail or river.

Messrs. J. E. Montgomery & Co. received a dispatch from the Richmond last night, saying she would leave here this day for New Orleans.

The Ruth, Olive Branch, Swallow and Strader are due from New Orleans.

The Commonwealth, Captain Conley, will leave the wharf this morning at ten o'clock for New Orleans. Captain Lloyd is her purser.

The splendid steamer Silver Moon, Captain Ben Merrilles, leaves the wharf to-day at five p.m. for Cincinnati. Captain Lawrence Carter does the honors of the office.

The R. E. Lee leaves New Orleans to-morrow for Louisville.

The Magenta left New Orleans last night for St. Louis.

The Gleaner is the regular Thursday Little Rock United States mail packet. She is receiving at the wharf and leaves no room to shake a fire for all points on the Arkansas. Captain Harrison Blaisdell commands, with Captain Garrett Huls and Sam Woods in charge of the office.

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The Bismarck passed up yesterday morning for St. Louis.

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Affairs at Washington.

Special Telegraphic Correspondence of the Louisville Courier.

WASHINGTON, April 24.

Nelson's argument, which closed this after noon, made a decided impression on the Senate. Radical lawyers of the Senate gave it close attention, and even Howard admitted it presented imposing matter.

Nelson's explanation of the reasons why Judge Black withdrew from the case places that gentleman in an unfavorable light. It appears from his statement that Black withdrew because the President refused to send an armed vessel to take possession of the Island of Alta Vela.

Just before the close of the Senate proceedings to day, a message was announced from the President, but the Senate adjourned without taking any action thereon. It is understood, however, that the President withdraws the name of Thomas Ewing for Secretary of War, and substitutes that of Schofield. Mr. Ewing's nomination was recalled at his own urgent request, and he urged the appointment of Schofield.

The precise object of sending in another nomination, if any there be, has not transpired, but it will be remembered some months ago that it was proposed to Johnson, as a compromise, that if Governor Cox, of Ohio, be appointed Stanton's successor, he would be confirmed by the Senate. But such cannot be the motive now, for impeachment has too far progressed to admit of concession from the President, or his prosecutors. It creates much talk to-night.

A squad of sneaking hypocrites from Danville, Virginia, formally congratulated Stanton to-day on his patriotic conduct in thwarting the President's designs by holding his office in defiance of him. The War Office barnacle returned thanks and assured them all difficulties would be adjusted soon, and the affairs of the Government would go on smoothly. Stanton evidently has faith in his fellow conspirators.

Thad Stevens counts on thirty-eight Senators for conviction. Yesterday he was visited by a Southern lady, and at the close of a rather piquant conversation, he said he hoped he would at least meet her in heaven. She replied: "Mr. Stevens, I hope to be there myself, but I am afraid I wont meet you."

The statement in the Western papers that John Morgan's remains were received here by the Kentucky delegation, is untrue. Two of General Morgan's personal friends were present, and several other Kentuckians.

WASHINGTON, April 25.

Mr. Groesbeck addressed the court, and in the earlier portion of the time his voice so failed from an affection of the throat that Fessenden suggested an adjournment, but Groesbeck declined, saying he would not delay the trial. He persevered, overcame the difficulty, and delivered a masterly argument. He commanded the attention of every Senator during the entire period.

Drake and Sumner endeavored to have indefinitely postponed the motion of Edmonds to allow an official reporter to take down proceedings when in secret deliberation. The court refused to postpone longer than Monday, when Edmunds' motion will prevail.

Sumner attempted to create a new rule requiring the court to vote the day after the conclusion of the argument, and also to require the Chief Justice to pronounce the verdict immediately thereafter. Johnson objected, and it went over.

There is a rumor afloat that Conservative Republicans do not desire the court to render a verdict until after the Chicago Convention, if the President is to be convicted, fearing political complications in their own party. The rumor is not credited.

The Radical faction speak less confidently of conviction, and the outside feeling for Johnson is improving, but it is absurd to predict the result, for the views of Senators cannot be known.

Chase will not make a charge to the courts as has been intimated. He assured the managers privately that he claimed no such privilege.

Among the rumors afloat is one that the President nominated Schofield to succeed Stanton at the instance of Grant, with a view to compromise with the impeachment conspirators. The story is destitute of truth.

As I advised you, Ewing earnestly requested his name withdrawn, and Schofield's name was sent in without any consultation with him. The President did not even consult the Cabinet respecting it, and it has no significance whatever.

Rousseau arrived to-day, making the trip from Oregon in less than four weeks. He is in fine health, furnishing an interesting account of his trip across the plains.

It is understood the Arkansas Senators and Representatives will be admitted immediately after the trial. They are all here, hungry for a grab at mileage. South Carolina carpet-baggers will follow.

WASHINGTON, April 26.

The impeachers manifest more alarm to-day than at any time heretofore, and every artifice and appliance including entreaties and threats are brought to bear on those Senators considered doubtful. Two of the managers and members of the Judiciary Committee of the House were engaged in this business this afternoon, and there are reasons for believing the result was not satisfactory.

Threats of violence have been made through anonymous letters to Senators Grimes, Fowler and others, if they vote against conviction.

Brownlow wrote a letter to a Tennessee member of Congress, saying he hopes Fowler will vote square up for the removal of the President, but if he don't the Legislature will demand his resignation. No one knows how that Senator will vote, but he treats this communication and others of a similar character with undisguised contempt.

A reaction for Johnson had taken place several days since, and this, with Groesbeck's great speech, seems to have set the current strong against the conspirators.

But many Radicals are still sanguine that they are anticipating the future by obtaining indorsements for this or that office addressed to President Wade.

The latest rumor of this kind is that Butler will, in the contingency of Wade's success, take the State Department. Chandler and Cameron especially, who are adepts in official corruption, protested against Butler having the Treasury, as they claim to want a fair division of the spoils.

An important decision is expected to-morrow on Edmunds' motion and Sumner's proposition to amend the ruling which is intended to force a vote immediately after the close of the argument.

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THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, levied, etc.; and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis, on the 8th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action, or else the same will be proceeded with ex parte: and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.

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BY virtue of a deed of trust made to me as trustee on the 15th day of December, 1865, by R. T. Harrell, and which is duly recorded in the Register's office of Tipton county, Tennessee, in record book F, pages 301, 302 and 303, and to which reference is here made, and in pursuance of the terms of said deed, and in pursuance to a decree of the Chancery Court of Memphis, entered March 27, 1868, in the cause of B. T. Harrell vs. Susan Brown et al., I will,

On Friday, the 8th day of May, 1868,

Proceed to sell between the hours of eleven o'clock a.m. and 12 o'clock p.m., at public auction, in front of the Postoffice in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, to the highest bidder for cash the following real estate, described in said trust deed, as follows: A certain tract of land situate, lying and being in the county of Tipton and State of Tennessee, situate in the county of Tipton and State of Tennessee, and in the county of Issaquena and State of Mississippi, bounded on the north by the lands of John Trigg, on the south by the lands of Jones, on the west by the lands of Foster, and on the east by the lands of Samuel Brown, containing six hundred acres, it being the tract of land sold by Susan Brown to R. T. Harrell on the 16th of December, 1865; and deeds of trust also conveying with the land all cattle and hogs, corn and cotton crops on the place, and all farming utensils and mechanics' tools, which will also be sold at the same time. There is a comfortable dwelling house, also other outhouses and buildings on the place, and is known as the plantation formerly belonging to Bedford Brown, Esq. The sale will be positive, as it is made for the payment of a balance due on the purchase notes.

Equity of redemption is waived. The title to said property is believed to be unincumbered, but I will only sell and convey as trustee.

S. L. BELCHER, For more particular information apply to BELCHER & BELCHER, Attorneys, Irving Block. apr7

No. 2276—N. B. P.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee—Insolvent and Creditor's Notice—John Mallum, Administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, vs. John H. Holt and wife et al.

IN this cause the insolvency of the estate of James H. Markham, deceased, has been suggested, the creditors thereof made parties defendant to this suit, whose names and places of residence are unknown, and an order entered directing publication to be made; it is therefore ordered, that they make their appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee on or before the first Monday in June, 1868, and file and establish their claims against said estate, or the same will be forever barred, and the cause set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for three months in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON, By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master. MALLUM, CHAMBERS & O'MALLY, Solicitors for Complainant. mh8

Notice to Creditors.

No. 2321—Chancery Court of Memphis—John C. Lanier vs the Gayoso Savings Institution et al.

IT is ordered by the Court in this cause, that the creditors of the Gayoso Savings Institution do immediately come in and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper proof of the same, that they may receive their pro rata share of the assets of said Bank or distribution among the creditors; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Appeal Avalanche and Post, until the further order of this Court.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON, Clerk and Master.

By BENJ. COLEMAN, Deputy C. & M. mh17

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of E. Stephenson, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of said E. Stephenson, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the 3rd Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. J. W. DICKEY, Admin'strator. Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Administrator's Notice.

LETTERS of administration upon the estate of William T. Haney, deceased, having been granted to me by the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, at the March term, 1868, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to pay such indebtedness to me, and I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them properly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be barred. R. W. BROOKS, mh29 Administrator of Wm. Haney, deceased.

Administratrix's Settlement in the County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Watt C. Bradford, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my annual and final settlement of the estate of Watt C. Bradford, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday in said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

C. A. SCHAFER, Administratrix. apr7

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust executed by H. D. Sherman to me, (S. K. Cranmon) to secure the payment of a note for the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000), payable to H. & A. Kean, dated Memphis, November 16, 1867, duly recorded in the Register's office of Shelby county, State of Tennessee, in record book No. 65, page 360, to which reference is hereby made, I will, on

Thursday, the 30th day of April, 1868,

At the late residence of H. D. Sherman, situated in Shelby county, about nine (9) miles from the city of Memphis, near the Hog Lake road, proceed to sell between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry, the following described property, as set forth in said deed of trust, for the payment of the debt therein mentioned, to-wit:

Eight (8) stock of cattle, two (2) mules, one (1) horse, seven (7) milch cows, one (1) spring wagon and one (1) ox wagon.

S. CAMMON, Trustee. mh28

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of W. T. Donelson.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of W. T. Donelson with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 7, 1868. S. A. WILSON, Guardian. Printed paid $5 00. apr

Guardian's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Friends and Creditors of Heirs of Wm. F. Allen, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have filed my settlement of the estate of the said Heirs with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the May term, 1868, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis.

Filed April 4, 1868. MARY C. ALLEN, Guardian. Printer paid $5 00. apr9

Trustee's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of a deed of trust to me executed and delivered on the 25th day of August, 1867, by T. J. Reasonover, and duly noted on pages 470, 471 and 472 of Record book No. 61, in the Register's office of Shelby county; therefore, to secure the indebtedness therein described, I shall,

On Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1868,

In front of the Greenlaw Block, at the door of the Chancery Court room, between the hours of ten a.m. and four p.m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, to-wit: A one-sixth interest in three acres of land bought by F. M. Brewster of M. C. Ragland, executor, and S. B. Ragland, executor, of N. Ragland, deceased, which said deed is on record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book 24, part second, pages 38, 39 and 41, and is thereof described as lot No. 5, and the interest thereto conveyed is the same conveyed by F. M. Brewster to Thomas J. Reasonover on the 28th of March, 1867, which deed is recorded in book No. 60, part first, pages 395 and 397, May 31, 1867, and to which reference is made for description of meets and bounds. The equity of redemption is waived; the title believed to be good, but I convey only as Trustee.

JOHN R. REASONOVER, Trustee. apr1

Attachment Notice.

R. A. Pruden vs. J. C. Gay. Before Michael Foley, J. P.

THE defendant in the above entitled cause will take notice that an attachment has been sued out against him, upon the grounds that he is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, and returned by the proper officer, levied, etc.; and that the case is set for hearing at my office in the city of Memphis, on the 16th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., when and where he can appear and defend said action or else the case will be proceeded with ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four weeks in the Memphis Daily Avalanche.

MICHAEL FOLEY, J. P. apr17

Creditor's Notice.

No. 2435—N. B. D.—In the Chancery Court of Memphis—W. N. Wilkens et al. vs. the Franklin Insurance Banking Company et al.

IN this cause, upon motion and in conformity to the prayer of the bill, it is ordered by the Court that all persons claiming to be creditors of, having any character of demands against the "Franklin Insurance and Banking Company of Memphis, shall immediately come into this Court and have themselves made parties to this suit, and file their claims with the Clerk and Master, with proper evidence of the same, that they may severally receive their ratable share of the assets of said Company, to be distributed in this cause; and that a copy of this order be published in the Memphis Daily Appeal and Avalanche for three (3) months from this date. March 11, 1868.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON, By W. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M. Clerk and Master. ESTES, JACKSON, McDAVITT and E. BURKE FISKET, Sols. mh11

Attachment Notice.

William Veasy and I. T. Cartwright, partners in trade, firm name and style of Veasy & Cartwright, vs. S. Cuneo.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendant, S. Cuneo; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit or the same will be taken for confessed as to him and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JAMES HALL, J. P. apr22

Attachment Notice.

O. Woolridge, M. Woolridge and A. J. Pollock, partners in trade, firm name of Woolridge & Co., vs. Mrs. D. F. Lorance.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3455 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied etc.," on the property of the defendant, Mrs. D. F. Lorance; it is therefore ordered, that said defendant appear at my office, in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the 29th day of May, 1868, at ten o'clock a.m., and defend this suit or the same will be taken for confessed as to her and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

JAMES HALL, J. P. apr22

Attachment Notice.

J. C. Holst, G. H. Holst and T. W.